Farm Notes and Hints.

Use sulphur freely in the stables to teep off lice from the cattle. It is a disprace to any farmer to allow his cattle to be formented by such vermin, when hey are so easily destroyed.

Perhaps unleached wood ashes furnish the most valuable of the mineral manures. They are worth nearly double as much, pound for pound, as the commercial fertilizers ordinarily sold. Reader, take care of your ashes.

if planted in tenacious soils.

A kind of influenza has broken out among the houses in many of the Western towns, its first appearance in malignant form being reported from Detroit, Mich., where a number of animals have fallen victims to it. The malady prevailing at present bears no relationship to the epizootic, although some of the earlier symptoms are similar.

Strong efforts are being made among farmers to encourage the crows as scavengers rather than to destroy them. It is claimed that they may be made useful in destroying the potato bug.

Dyspepsia arises from a great variety of causes, and different persons are relieved by different remedies, according to the nature of the disease and condition of the stomach. We know of a lady who has derived great benefit from drinking a tumbler of sweet milk—the richer and fresher the better—whenever a burning sensation is experienced in the stomach. An elderly gentleman of our acquaintance, who was afflicted for many years with great distress after eating. ater, and drinking it half an hour

COD LAVER OIL.—A French physician ports as the result of nearly one hundred observations, that it is in rickety atients, as previously shown by various riters, that cod liver oil has it most contients, as recordian or consumption; these, as in all other diseases, in which has been tried, the oil acting as a recordian or the disease, is therefore seful in the treatment of all such conditions of the system as exhibit a general schexia, without being addressed to buy particular malady. It seems also to e a fact, verified by numerous inacces, that the increase of weight al-

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Rolling land after seeding is almost invariably profitable, and even necessary. If the ground is a stiff loam, and we shen seeded, rolling immediately may do much harm, especially if soon followed by dry weather. But the rolling in such asses should be deferred until the ground as dried, when, if in the least lumpy, he roller should be used. If the ground a dry at the time of seeding the roller bould follow at once.

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A jeweler in Jackson, Mich., has lately afforded a warning to evil-doers by receiving a sentence of imprisonment with hard labor for two years and six months for sending postal carde containing indecent matter through the mails. The judge who tried him would have pronounced a much heavier sentence had not the criminal pleaded guilty.

P. T. Barnum's Latest Wonders ... A Colossal Exhibition.

Colossal Exhibition.

Harper's Weekly devotes nearly two columns to explaining and extolling the great enterprises with which P. T. Barnum is making historical his forty years career as the most liberal and daring aboveman in the world. The statistical historical historical

drone more interesting and instructive than any other. It is the great procession known as "The Congress of Monarcia." The Harper's omitted mentioning this, because, probably, they supposed Mr. Barnum would not dare to incur the exponse of transporting such an enormous affair through the country. But he will do so, and here is a brief description of this dazzling and bewildering exhibition, sagiven by a New York occumporary:

"Of all the corgoons pageanis the world ever saw the 'Congress of Nations' is the greatest, and how the surpassing genine, of seven Barnum count prote life, and many of them are genuine, having been procured direct from the nationalities which they represent. The individuals employed to personate the historical characters have the most faithful resemblance to the originals in face and physique.

nouncing the Great Roman Hippodrome will attempt to make the public believe that it is his unrivaled cetablishment. He cartions the public against being that deceived, and reminds them that it would be impossible with any amount of money to organize and equip even a semblance of his cetablishment without a pre-paration of several pears. The Cincinnati Daths Escaler of February 7til. 1878, says that the presented of Hippodrome is elmpty the wreck of that stupendous frand known as the Great Escatern and Great Southern Circus and Menagerie combination, which exploded at Selma, Ala, the 16th of less November a number of horses lawing to be soid to pay the expenses of shipping the show to this stry, where the proprietors left a number of their employees unjudi and penniless, and vanceed, Who the real proprietors of a number of their employees unjud and penniless, and vanceed, Who the real proprietors of considerable mystery, but it is generally deveed the business were still remains a matter of considerable mystery, but it is generally overed man different man of others connected with the concentration of the state of the law to compel a settlement of their just claims, and the whole matter ended in the slow being attacked at Hamilton, and in an auction sale of the circus property at Lebanon yesterday afternoon.

The best of the joke is that Deliaven, Webber, Gibbons and others are about to reorganize a Hippodrome out of the "wreck" to start out with next summer on another tour.

The whole show was raiber a poor concern, only a few lious being its good condition, and the menagerie including no really rare or valushe amina.

complains that some show obtain an employee named Barnum, and then advertise "Barnum's latest outerprise," and resort to other devices wherein they use the name of "Barnum's to fleedwice the public. He says that all exhibitions with which is is connected will give his initials, "P. T.," and also publish his portrait by way of identification. To be forwarned as to be fore-axmed. "A word to the wise is sufficient." As Mr. Barnums great Hippodrome travals lars each day it can exhibit only in large clinical and the second of the second trains. Mr. Barnum says he can easily lose half a million of deliars by this summer's experiment, and that in any event he shall not brigg back his lippodrome from Europe. It is patronized and spproved by the clergy and religious classes, as well as by school teachers and all heads of reduced families who desire their children to improve their minds under this great system of object teaching. Beyond all question this is the most extensive and extraordinary children on the face of the earth, and is a second of the same and the status."

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THE QUESTION SETTLED.—Those emi nent men. Dr. Jas. Clark, physician to Queen Victoria, and Dr. Hughes Bennett, say that consumption can be cured. Dr. Wistar knew this when he discovered his now widely-known Balsam of Will Cherry, and experience flas proved the correctness of his opinion. Fifty cents and one dollar a bottle, large bottles much the chespor.—Com.

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